DIGITAL ASSET DATA TYPE DEFINITIONS

Abstract of the Disclosure

Data definitions for digital assets, such as, for example, audio, video, photographs, graphics, and

electronic documents, are provided that allow these different asset types to be stored in a single database. The definitions are preferably in XML and can be used as a standardized dictionary to more efficiently and economically manage digital assets, thus improving system interoperability between companies or organizations within a company. A digital asset ordering interface, hardware system, software arrangement, and application interface configuration advantageously using these data definitions are also provided.